What Are Management Controls

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What Are Management Controls?

- Management Controls are:
 - Devices or methods.
 - Limitations and restrictions.
 - > Tools.



What Are Management Controls?



- ✓ AR 11-2, Management Controls defines management controls as:
 - the rules,
 - procedures,
 - techniques and
 - devices

that managers use to ensure that what should occur in their daily operations does indeed occur on a continuing basis.



Remember!

✓ Management Controls ensure

"What is supposed to be happening is indeed happening."



✓ Regulations?

YES, if the regulation covers all the key critical functional areas controls and the personnel follow the regulation.



✓ Thermostat?

NO! This is a heating equipment and air conditioning equipment control.



✓ Standard Operating Procedure (SOP)?

YES, if the SOP has covered all critical areas (Safety, operations, etc.) and the personnel follow the SOP closely.



✓ Security Guards?

YES, they do Force Protection duties.





Management Controls?

✓ Certification and Approval of Funds?

YES, this is a key financial management control which is designed to prevent unauthorized use of funds.



✓ Computer Access Cards?

YES, this provides PC security, provides digital electronic signature, future encryption capability and future unauthorized use



Management Controls? ✓ TV cable remote control?

NO! This provides control of the TV cable channels. However, parental control block (of certain channels) and parental monitoring of children TV viewing is a management control.



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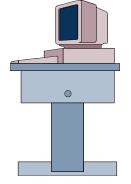
✓ JMC Travel Information System (JTIS)?

YES, JMC Management uses the JTIS to monitor the status of JMC TDY.



Management Controls?

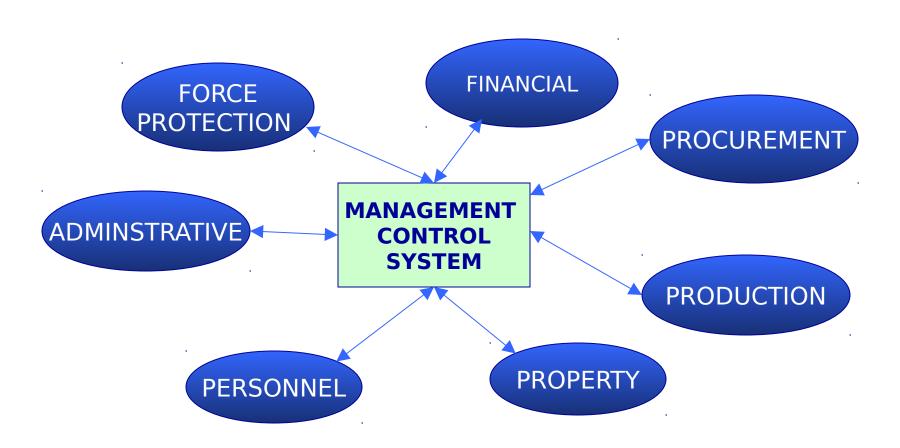
✓ Computer passwords?



YES, they restrict access to various systems and provide security.



Management Control System





MANAGEMENT = CONTROL

- Good Management Controls are inherent in a manager's job.
 - ✓ It makes good common sense. Good business practices.





The Role of Managers

- ✓ Use management controls.
- ✓ Lead by Example of Ethical Conduct.
- ✓ Monitor the quality of performance over period of time.
- ✓ Put into effect, procedures and policies.



Why Management Controls in the Federal Government?

- ✓ The 97th Congress passed the Federal Managers Financial Integrity Act PL 97-255.
- ✓ It requires that each executive agency have management controls.
- ✓ The Integrity Act is implemented within:
 - Executive Branch by OMB Circular A-123.
 - DoD by DoD directive 5010.38.



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The US Army Guidance

- ✓ AR 11-2, Management Control
 - Authority and Responsibilities
 - Policy and Requirements
 - Appendices:
 - References
 - Comptroller General Standards
 - Management Control Evaluation Checklist
 - DA Form 11-2-R (certification form for evaluations)

The Commanding General, JMC Emphasizes Management Controls

- ✓ Signed and issued JMC CG's policy # 14 dealing with Management Controls and Stewardship.
- ✓ Emphasizes importance of Management controls in stewardship of resources.



Management Controls Process

- **✓** Performance Objectives
- Evaluate Controls
 - evaluation checklists
 - alternative evaluations
 - Higher HQ reviews
 - Own performance measurements
- Material Weaknesses
- ✓ Annual Assurance Statement



Performance Objectives

- ✓Army AUMs must have management controls performance objective. (OER or TAPES)
- **✓**Objective can:
 - Cite AR 11-2 chapter
 - Be generically worded.



Assessable Unit Managers (AUMs)

- ✓ Subordinates of reporting organization.
- ✓ JMC AUMs Commanders, Deputies, Assistant Chiefs of Staffs, Office Chiefs.
- ✓ Installation AUMs Directors, Division Chiefs, Office chiefs.